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| Docket Number A-62394-2/TAL                                  |                               |
| In re Application of:<br>Wood et al.                         |                               |
| Application Number:<br>09/782,386                            | Filed:<br>February 12, 2001   |
| For:<br>Double Stranded Conformational Polymorphism Analysis |                               |
| Group Art Unit:<br>1655                                      | Examiner:<br>C. Meyers, Ph.D. |

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small entity fee are as follows:

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| <input type="checkbox"/>            | One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))   | \$ |     |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))  | \$ |     |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))  | \$ | 920 |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))   | \$ |     |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))   | \$ |     |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Applicant is a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27; therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: | \$ | 460 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | A check for the fee is enclosed   |    |     |

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1300 (Order No. A-62394-2/TAL). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Respectfully submitted,

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